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1. [] LIAISON Received calls from Mike Epstein and Stan Taylor, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, regarding Agency review on the Committee's preliminary statement on Micronesia. I informed both staffers that there was some opposition in the Agency to releasing a statement with as much detail as the Committee's draft statement contained, and that because there were NSC interests involved, the Agency would be contacting NSC to get additional views. Taylor said he didn't feel there would be any problem in a couple days delay.

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2. [] LIAISON Called Chris Aldridge, on the staff of Senator Birch Bayh (D., Ind.), to discuss the source of a statistic in the July 1976 Basic Intelligence Fact Book. This satisfied his interests.

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3. [] LIAISON Received a call from Hal Ford, Senator Adlai E. Stevenson's (D., Ill.) designee, on the Select Committee. Ford requested a briefing for Senator Stevenson, himself and perhaps Gil Keyes, Staff Director, Subcommittee on Science and Space, Senate Committee on Commerce, on the interrelations between NASA and the Intelligence Community. Ford wants the briefing on 7 March at 4:00 p.m. in S 407. [] SA-D/DCI/IC, is setting up the briefing.

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4. [] LIAISON Received a call from Marty Gold, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, who reported that all had gone well on the recent trip of the three staff members to Panama. According to Gold, none of the areas which the Agency viewed as particularly sensitive came up during the discussions in Panama. I agreed to meet with Gold along with [] SA/DO/O, and a LA Division official on 2 March at 10:00 a.m. to discuss the trip.

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5. [] LIAISON Called Bill Miller, Staff Director, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence, to let him know the Agency would be a few days late in submitting its first report to the Committee on incidents reported to the IOB. Miller had no problem with this. I also informed him that the inventory alone of possibly compromised documents in the Boyce-Lee case, was 1,600 pages in length and that an accurate damage assessment would have to wait an opportunity for the Agency to interview the principals. Miller asked to review the inventory. Miller also asked for a report on the allegations made in a 1 March Wall Street Journal article.

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6. [] BRIEFING I called Jack Brady, Chief of Staff, House International Relations Committee, to inform him of the request of Joyce Shub, also of the Committee's staff, of a briefing of the Subcommittee on Asia and Pacific Affairs. Brady saw no problem in our providing the briefing.

Brady called later in the day stating that Ivo Joseph Spalatin, formerly Administrative Assistant to Representative Clement Zablocki (D., Wis.), had been named by Mr. Zablocki to be the Staff Director of the International Security and Scientific Affairs Subcommittee of the House International Relations Committee. Brady requested that we institute compartmented clearances for Spalatin which he will need for his new position.

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7. [] BRIEFING [] CPS, and I met with Joyce Shub and Don Duskie, House International Relations Committee staff, and refined the parameters of the briefing to be given to the Asia and Pacific Affairs Subcommittee on 7 March 1977, at 2:00 p.m.

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8. [] LEGISLATION I had a chance meeting with Representative Bob Wilson (R., Calif.) and told him that I had met with Karen Heath, his Legislative Assistant, on our proposed legislation to protect intelligence sources and methods. He said he wants to discuss this with her and will get back to me.

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9. [] BRIEFING Received a call from Frank Sullivan, Chief Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, requesting that the Committee be given a briefing on significant foreign intelligence developments worldwide at 10:00 a.m., Thursday, 3 March, in room 212 Old Senate Office Building. Sullivan asked if Admiral Turner could be present to meet the Members. After a discussion with [] SA/DCI, I called Sullivan back and explained that Admiral Turner will be at the White House on Thursday morning; however, he will stop by to meet Committee Members if time permits. I also discussed the briefing with [] DDI/CPS, and he called Sullivan to narrow it down specifically to those subjects that they will want covered.

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10. [] LIAISON Met with Representative Jack Brinkley (D., Ga.) and explained that careful review was made of the Soviet civil defense classified material to determine, in accordance with his request, whether anything could be declassified for his use in making a floor statement. I expressed regrets that the subject was still under review by higher authorities within the Intelligence Community and no information could be declassified at this time. He said he understood fully and he appreciates the efforts that were made on his behalf.

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11. [] BRIEFING Attended a briefing of the House Armed Services Subcommittee on Intelligence and Military Application of Nuclear Energy, covering the Intelligence Community and Agency budgets, given by [] D/DCI/IC, Jim Taylor, Comptroller, and Tom Latimer, Deputy to the Director of Defense Intelligence. The briefing was held in Room H403 of the Capitol and ran from 2:10 p.m. to 4:35 p.m. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

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12. [] LIAISON Called the office of Representative Paul S. Tribble (D., Va.) and confirmed a change in the meeting with [] from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Thursday, 3 March.

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13. [] LIAISON I called Bill Hogan, Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and alerted him to the call I had received yesterday from Ron McCluskey, Assistant Counsel, House Post Office and Civil Service Subcommittee on Retirement and Employee Benefits (See Item #19, 28 February Journal). Hogan appreciated the call and doubted that the Committee would consider any change in our law unless supported by the Agency.

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14. [REDACTED] BRIEFING Received a call from James Fellenbaum, Senate Appropriations Committee staff. Fellenbaum informed me that the membership of the Intelligence Operations Subcommittee of Senate Appropriations Committee has been fixed. Members are: John L. McClellan (D., Ark.), Chairman, John C. Stennis (D., Miss.), William H. Proxmire (D., Wis.), Daniel K. Inouye (D., Hawaii), Milton R. Young (R., N. Dak.), and Ted Stevens (R., Alaska).

Fellenbaum also advised that the Subcommittee wants a short presentation on the IC FY 77 Supplemental and FY 78 IC budget to be included in the 16 March hearing on the FY 78 NFIP budget. I informed appropriate IC officers.

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1. [] LIAISON Received a call from Jean Evans, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, who said he would have to cancel his meeting today with [] Chief, CI Staff. The meeting was rescheduled for tomorrow at 9:00 a.m. [] SA/DO/O, office has been advised.

2. [] LIAISON Received a call from Mr. Frank Stout of Alderson Reporting Co. He requested our assistance on determining the clearances of a reporter, [] His Social Security []. After checking with our records and those of the Office of Security I advised Mr. Stout's office that according to our records, [] had an active TOP SECRET clearance. Mr. Stout called later to request clearances, particularly special clearances, for []. These were checked through CIB also. Mr. Stout was then advised that [] did not have any special clearances.

3. [] LIAISON At the request of [] of [] ORPA Libyan specialist, I arranged for her, [] of OGCR, and me to debrief Representative Steven Symmes (R., Idaho) in his office on his recent trip to Libya. The analysts found Symmes' comments on the people he met, the conditions he found, and the reception he received (most cordial), to be of substantial interest.

4. [] LIAISON Received a call from Kempton Jenkins, State Department, concerning an appearance by Secretary of State Vance before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee today. Jenkins said that during his meeting with the Senate Foreign Relations Committee members, the subject of payments to [] came up and the majority of the members expressed concern that this matter had been the subject of newspaper publicity. Jenkins also said that he knew there was some interest in the subject of the House International Relations Committee and perhaps we should get in touch with Chairman Clement Zablocki (D., Wis.) on this score. I told Jenkins that indeed it was a topic of interest in the International Relations Committee and that we had had extensive conversations with Jack Brady, Chief of Staff, and in turn with Chairman Zablocki on the subject. I filled Jenkins in on these conversations and he appreciated being brought up-to-date on the situation in the House.

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5. [] LIAISON Received a call from Frank Sullivan, Staff Director, Senate Armed Services Committee, regarding the briefing scheduled for Thursday on the world situation. Sullivan was quite agitated about the appearance of Admiral Turner at this hearing and practically demanded that he be there. I told Sullivan that the Admiral was out of the country, was not expected back until late tomorrow night, and that while we were passing a message to him that Chairman John Stennis (D., Miss.) would like him to be present if he could, that we could in no way make a commitment, especially since Admiral Turner would be at an NSC meeting on Thursday morning. I told him that I was sure that if he could drop by the hearing as Sullivan had suggested, that he would do so.

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6. [] LIAISON Bob Stark, associated with the student government at Michigan State University, called further on Agency participation for a 7 March symposium, at which [] former Legislative Counsel, among others will participate. He was referred to [] O/Assistant to the DCI.

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7. [] LIAISON Sam Hoskinson, NSC, called to indicate that the President had received from Chairman Clement J. Zablocki, House International Relations Committee, a letter concerning payments to foreign leaders and the reporting thereof under Section 662. Hoskinson will send over a copy of the letter and we will prepare a suggested response.

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